

DUXBURY BAY MARITIME SCHOOL

Ned Lawson Named New Director of Maritime School

Environmental Attorney and Duxbury resident Ned Lawson has been hired as new director of the Duxbury Bay Maritime School following the resignation of Mike Horn, effective Nov. 1.

Horn will continue as a member of the executive board concentrating in the "on the water activities and teaching" role.

According to board member Tony Chamberlain,
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Lawson "fits the bill in every way" as far as the DBMS search committee was concerned. "We're very excited."

"He'll concentrate on 4 specific areas of administration," said Chamberlain of Lawson's new role: the youth sailing program, the adult sailing program, property rehabilitation and fundraising.

Chamberlain said that Horn's choice to concentrate on the sailing activities was a mutual decision and that he still would continue to be a strong voice on the board.



Mike Horn

Horn, who lives in Connecticut, also faced a rigorous 3-hour commute which was also an issue.

He taught sailing at Harvard University for 32 years prior to accepting the DBMS director's position, helping to launch the successful summer program which involved teaching sailing to over 450 local kids and a large number of adult participants.

Lawson is a long time resident of Duxbury and has been active on the waterfront advisory board and the DBMS executive board.